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CH-53E Super Stallion Experiences Hard Landing

MARINE CORPS AIR STATION YUMA, Ariz. (April 6, 2017) – A CH-53E Super Stallion from 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, in support of Weapons and Tactics Instructor course, experienced a hard landing during a routine training mission at approximately 1 p.m. Mountain time, Wednesday, in the vicinity of the Barry M. Goldwater Range.

The five Marines aboard the aircraft safely debarked with no injuries.

The cause of the incident is under investigation.

For additional information, please call the Public Affairs Office at (928) 269-3609 or email Yuma_PAO@usmc.mil.